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Neinda and Hamlin Vote On Merging

SCHOOL CONSOLIDATION TO BE FIRST OF SERIES PROPOSED FOR HAMLIN REGION

Voters of the Neinda and Hamlin School Districts will determine by their balloting Saturday whether or not the Neinda School District will be consolidated with the Hamlin Independent School District for school purposes. Voting will take place at the school houses in each district, school officials state.

Neinda district center is six miles south of Hamlin, and comprises 16 square miles of territory. Valuations in the district for school taxes last year were \$158,865. Tax rate has been \$1 on the \$100 valuation.

Scholastics in the Neinda district last year totaled 70. However, only eight grades have been taught in the Neinda two-teacher school, and high school students have been attending Hamlin High School on a transfer basis.

With consolidation being approved in Saturday's election, all scholastics would be brought to Hamlin by bus with start of the new school year in September.

About 550 Hamlin taxpayers are eligible to vote in Saturday election, and between 40 and 50 voters may cast ballots in Neinda district, school officials indicated to The Herald.

This is the first of a series of consolidation moves being considered by districts adjacent to Hamlin.

Celotex and Carlton School Districts have asked for petition to order elections in their districts for consolidation, but action cannot be taken on these petitions until after official canvass of the Neinda-Hamlin vote has been made by the county Commissioners Court on April 30.

Carlton district, adjoining Neinda, had 35 scholastics in its 16 square miles of territory last year. Last enumeration listed 125 scholastics in the Celotex district.

VETERANS SLATE STAG GET-TOGETHER AT LAKE SATURDAY

West Hamlin Lake will be the scene Saturday night of a stag party for members and prospective members of the Hamlin post of Veterans of Foreign Wars. The party climaxes the charter period for the post in which a drive for members to be included on the post's charter is being concluded.

Plenty of eats and drinks are promised those who gather at the R. C. McCurdy and Tom Vaughn cabins. Festivities will get underway at 8:00 o'clock. D. A. Shaffer, Otis Huling and W. M. Millhorn compose the eats committee.

Lewi Yates, commander of the VFW post says: "We are celebrating the end of our charter period and the finish of our drive for new members. Bring any and all prospective members as guests with you. We want every man available who is eligible to join our post before May 8, so bring them and sign them up on or before Saturday night. Don't miss this buddy get-together."



LIONS CLUB LEADERS FOR NEW FISCAL YEAR



New president of Hamlin Lions Club is Delma Shelburne (left), who was elected to head the civic organization when the new club year begins July 1. Shelburne has for years been a town booster and active in Lions



Club, school board, church and Chamber of Commerce activities. Reelected as secretary for the ensuing year was C. C. Bailey (left). Other officers were named in elections at the regular weekly luncheon Tuesday noon.

CITY IN HEALTHY FINANCIAL SHAPE AS VALUES RAISED

Some increase in total valuations for the City of Hamlin will be registered when assessments are completed next week, city officials told The Herald this week. Valuations for 1945 totaled \$1,254,075.

City officials indicated that the tax rate of \$1.50 probably would be maintained for the 1946 renditions.

City of Hamlin is in good financial condition, both as far as regular current accounts are concerned and the reserve for bonded indebtedness.

Outstanding bonds are listed by city officials as follows: Refunding bonds, \$35,000; water system bonds, \$11,000; sewer system bonds, \$17,000; city hall bonds, \$10,000. Total of \$73,000 bonded debt is scheduled to be retired in full by 1957 under the present bond pay-off plan.

For current operations and bond retirement purposes the \$1.50 tax rate is divided in the following manner: General fund, 70 cents; refunding, 20 cents; water bonds, 15 cents; sewer bonds, 30 cents; and city hall bonds, 15 cents.

Water revenue bonds in amount of \$120,000 are due to be paid off with water and sewer system revenue by 1969, officials state.

Committees at Work On Outstanding 1946 Junior-Senior Banquet

Annual junior-senior banquet for Hamlin High School has been set for May 3, class officials announced this week. This is an affair in which the juniors honor the seniors, and the juniors are working hard to make this an occasion which the seniors will remember for years.

An unusually good program is being planned, the juniors say, and practically 100 per cent attendance from the classes is expected.

Chairman of the working committees are: Margaret Ryan, invitations; Jo Hargrove, decorations; Edith Scott, tables; Bobby Crowley, program; Joy Agnew, reception; Bob Miles, clean up; Anna Dutton, dish committee. Working with the committees are the class sponsors, Mrs. Jimmy Simmons, Mrs. Holly Toler and T. C. Blankinship.

80 Decisions Reported At First Baptist Revival

Eighty decisions for Christ were reported in the eight-day revival meeting that closed Sunday evening at Hamlin's First Baptist Church, according to Pastor John H. Osteen.

Twenty-nine new members were received for church membership by baptism, 20 came by letter, and 31 made rededications.

New Pastor Osteen did the preaching in the series of services, and Ewell Bone, educational director of the University Baptist Church, Abilene, was in charge of music.

AFTER FOUR DAYS OF CLOUDS COUNTY GETS LITTLE RAIN

After several days of threatening clouds hanging over the Hamlin section, Old Sol finally drove moisture-producing billows away Wednesday morning—and left the territory with less than an inch of rainfall.

Whether enough of us had donned straw hats, shined our shoes, washed our cars and watered our lawns or not, some jinx seemed to be holding up the rain for four or five days. Preachers of the area indicated they were being paid enough, so that couldn't be the reason, The Herald observed.

Sunday night showers totaled .05 of an inch on the official gauges of W. G. Rountree of the city water department. Precipitation of .34 of an inch was measured Monday, and Tuesday's total rainfall was .14—making .53 of an inch in all for the four-day period.

Total rainfall for the year has been less than four inches.

Despite the lack of rainfall since 1946 began, crops and pastures have held up remarkably well on good seasons left in the ground from last fall's ground-soaking rains and snow.

Oil Mill Closes After Good Run of Crushing

Good run of cottonseed crushing has just been completed at the Midwest Cooperative Oil Mill, according to T. B. Hughston, manager.

Operations at the mill were closed down last week when the supply of seed on hand was exhausted. The mill will not resume operations until seed from the current crop begin to come in, Mr. Hughston states.

SITE FOR HAMLIN MEMORIAL HOSPITAL STILL NOT SELECTED BUT LEADERS URGE CITIZENS TO RALLY TO CAMPAIGN SOON

Final decision on the site for the Hamlin Memorial Hospital has not been reached yet, officials of the hospital association tell The Herald this week, and this fact has somewhat slowed down enlistments of family memberships. Progress is still being made on every line. The only ones voicing any impatience are those who have not placed their names on the dotted line with a full membership fee of \$50 or who have not even started with a \$10 down payment.

Building this community hospital is "every-family business," and it is all volunteer and no high-pressure will be exerted on anyone to get into the hospital association. There is nothing compulsory or demanded anywhere down the line. The main thing is that if we get a hospital established, families must unite with their money to construct a building and equip it.

Hospital leaders have issued the following statement for publication:

The Hamlin Memorial Hospital will never be a tax burden either in construction or operation. The hospital will be constructed

Work Slated On Highway Project Soon

MACHINERY AND OTHER NEEDS BEING ASSEMBLED AT LABOR CAMP BY CONTRACTOR

Machinery and other equipment for use on the Hamlin-to-McCauley highway project was being moved to Hamlin this week by Hugh McMillan, contractor, and actual work was expected to get underway by the latter part of the week, representatives of H. G. Grimmer, superintendent of the job, indicated this week.

Hamlin's transient labor camp will be utilized by the contractor for job headquarters, word from the Chamber of Commerce revealed Wednesday.

Original starting date for the road project was stipulated in the contract as April 20. About 30 men will be employed on the construction at the present, Grimmer stated.

McMillan's contract calls for construction of about 11 miles of highway, which includes grading and drainage structures, caliche base and asphalt topping.

Work is divided into three sections: Stretch of 2.037 miles on farm highway No. 609 from Longworth to State Highway No. 70 (Roby to Sweetwater route); 7.980 miles from the Jones-Fisher County line just southwest of Hamlin, through McCauley to intersection with U. S. Highway No. 180 (Anson to Roby route); and 1.8-mile spur from Highway No. 57 (Hamlin to McCauley route) to the Celotex Gyp Mill.

Dr. McCrary Attends State Dental Convention

Dr. Joe W. McCrary, Hamlin dentist returned last week-end from Dallas, where he attended the annual convention of the Texas State Dental Society. The doctor says the convention was the best attended in many years.

While in Dallas Dr. McCrary took refresher courses in dentistry.

James Tate May Home With Army Discharge

Tate May returned Monday from Dallas, where he had been visiting relatives with his wife and son, James Tate. The younger May received his discharge from the Army last Friday at San Antonio after nearly three years in the service. He had served in the European Theatre of Operations.

Mrs. May and James Tate went to Waco first of the week to arrange for James to enter Baylor University at the beginning of the fall semester in September. They were expected home Wednesday.

HE'S CATCHING UP

Reagan Myers is this week getting the low-down on what happened last July.

When the trucker visited the Imperial Barber Shop Tuesday he was advised that some of his mail had been located in a "pigeon hole" in one of the shop's cabinets. When he recovered it he remembered having put it there last summer while getting barber work.

Copy of The Hamlin Herald for July 2 told him what was going on then. A letter in the mail contained three \$1 bills.

DELMA SHELBURNE ELECTED PRESIDENT OF HAMLIN LIONS

Delma Shelburne, Hamlin contractor, was elected president of Hamlin Lions Club when officers for the new club year were named Tuesday noon at the regular luncheon at the Morgan Hotel. Shelburne will succeed Art Carmichael on July 1.

Other officers named in the voting by club members Tuesday include: Art Carmichael, who automatically became first vice president; I. R. Huchingson, second vice president; Harold Bonner, third vice president; C. C. Bailey, reelected secretary-treasurer; Joe Moser, reelected tail twister; W. H. Eysen Jr., lion tamer; Clyde Angel, one-year director; Willard Jones, two-year director; and L. H. McBride, reelected song leader.

Mrs. L. B. Baker presented some of her music pupils as entertainment at the Tuesday Lions meeting. Patsy Brown and Joyce Rogers played a piano duet entitled "Prince Imperial." Fay Simpson and Carl Travis Young sang "Wedding of Jack and Jill." "The King's Review" was title of a piano trio played by Laura Courtney, James Eddy Jay and Mrs. Baker.

Guests at the Lions meeting were Joe Breeden of Anson and Lieutenant Lantham B. Davis Jr., who is home on furlough.

Joe Culbertson turned in a handful of dimes in his capacity as acting tail twister that will make Joe Moser, regular tail twister, blush with unmitigated shame.

Hamlin Boys to Share In Pig Awards Again

Hamlin area 4-H Club boys will have opportunity again to share in distribution of pigs in connection with the Sears show at Abilene May 4, it was announced this week by County Agent H. C. Stanley Jr. of Jones County.

Arrangements for the sixth annual distribution were made at a meeting of county agents from six counties in the Abilene district last Friday night at Abilene, which Stanley attended.

Wheat Yield In Area May Be Surprise

GROWERS AND OTHERS STATE 50 TO 75 PER CENT NORMAL CROP MAY BE HARVESTED

Several observers this week predicted that residents of the Hamlin area will be surprised at the good yield of wheat for this section when harvest time comes around in mid-summer.

These statements were made to a Herald reporter when he endeavored to get a cross-section of prospects for the grain harvest. In spite of the lack of rain over most of the region during the past 60 days, most of the wheat we have seen looks small but green. Heading has started in practically all fields.

One grower stated that more rain than had fallen Monday and Tuesday will do little good for the grain as far as filling out of the heads is concerned, inasmuch as moisture for this stage of growth is obtained from the stalk. More moisture would probably produce more straw for hay purposes.

Another grower declared he would produce as much wheat this year as he did last year on the same land. Holly Toler stated he would average 10 bushels or more per acre on his place in the Histon community, six miles west of Hamlin. Joe Culbertson declared he would harvest around 12 bushels per acre on his place.

Close to 25,000 acres is planted to wheat in the Hamlin territory, reflecting an increase of probably 10 per cent in acreage over last year's acreage.

Hamlin last year shipped 275 cars of grain. One observer said he predicted close to 200 cars would be shipped this year.

City Council Asking Cooperation in Street Cleaning Movement

Members of the City Council this week issued a call of cooperation from Hamlin business concerns fronting Central Avenue to help keep the streets clean.

"Our main business thoroughfare was cleaned last Friday night, and the dirt and trash hauled off," the council declares in a prepared statement for The Herald. "Saturday morning, before many had seen the clean street, some places of business were sweeping dirt and trash from inside their places of business out the front into the street. This is discouraging to the council, and the council feels that if the people of the town want the street kept clean they should all cooperate.

"May we ask that you please cooperate to the extent that you will take your floor sweepings, dirt and trash out the back," the council's statement concludes.

Five Hamlin Club Boys Enter Area Jersey Show

Five Hamlin boys had entered animals in the West Texas Jersey Cattle Club regional show slated for this week-end at Abilene, Mrs. E. P. Hurd, secretary, advised The Herald first of the week.

Show officials said entries indicated strong interest among junior exhibitors, which is one of the goals of the show. Total of \$400 in premium money will be awarded, and winners will go to the state show at Plainview next September.

Hamlin boys entering the show are Weldon Townsend, Kenneth Holloway, Callens George, Bobby Caldwell and James Rogers.

Cowboy Reunion Dates July 2-3-4 Confirmed

Directors of the Texas Cowboy Reunion, Inc. confirmed the tentative dates of the July 2, 3 and 4 for the seventeenth annual Texas Cowboy Reunion which were set at a meeting last fall.

The annual affair held in Stamford exceeded all previous attendance records in 1945.

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WOMEN IN THE NEWS



Teen Agers Gather in Billy Coltharp Home

Jolly Teen Agers party for last week was held Saturday evening in the home of Billy Coltharp. Games were directed by Mrs. Luther Marr. Soda pop and cookies were served as refreshments after a jolly time was reported by attendants. Teen-agers present were Verlene Stewart, Thomas Marr, Phyllis Richardson, Clifton Townsend, Donald Young, Seth Adams, Joann French, Jimmy French, Jane Adams, Ray McCurley, Jerry Waggoner, Mart O. Farrow, Betty Lou Ferguson, James Sedberry, Brad Roland, Doyle Dean, Lindal Bland, Margaret Ryan, Beverly Harvey, Larry McCoy, Bob Miles, James Fletcher, Betty Jane Barry, Jo Ann Johnson, Vannie Bea Huling, Sue Bledsoe, Billy Coltharp, La Nell Rodgers, Joyce Barnett, Mozelle Barnett, Jo Hargrove, Elmer Ree Brewer, Jerita Durham and Jeanette Bevels.

Mothers of Jolly Teen Agers who attended the party were Mrs. Luther Marr, Mrs. W. C. Hargrove, Mrs. Harvey, Mrs. Robinson and Mrs. John Barnett.

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Jones County Women Go to District Meet

Twenty-two Home Demonstration Club women from Jones County and the home demonstration agent attended the district meeting of the Texas Home Demonstration Association held at Ballinger last Thursday.

Theme of the program carried out during the day was "Building the Peace." As part of the program each county gave a short report of outstanding work done in the county and gave an explanation of the exhibit from her county. Jones County exhibited several beautiful cordet hats and bags made by club members. Mrs. A. B. Rainwater and Mrs. C. D. Bingham of the Carpenter's Gap Home Demonstration Club presented the report from the county in the form of a skit.

At the meeting there were 17 counties represented by nearly 400 delegates and visitors. The district meeting of the Texas Home Demonstration Association was invited to Anson for the next meeting, which will be held about April, 1947, the home agent states.

Delegates from Jones County Home Demonstration Clubs were: Mrs. Walter Love of Anson, Mrs. Maxey Harvey of Willow Creek and Mrs. Joe Benton of New Hope. Others from the county who attended were: Mrs. Charlie Myatt, Mrs. Will Myatt, Lula Bert Myatt, Mrs. John Braswell, Mrs. J. Ed Lynn, Mrs. E. R. Poinac, Mrs. Charles Walsh Sr., Mrs. P. W. Osment, Mrs. W. M. Carlton, Mrs. W. Thompson, Mrs. A. B. Rainwater, Mrs. C. D. Bingham, Mrs. Buck Cook, Mrs. C. R. Tarver, Mrs. W. W. Boyd, Mrs. R. O. Ramfield, Mrs. E. L. Russell, Mrs. Toff Herndon and Mrs. H. F. Brigham.

New Officers Installed By Literary Club

Climaxing a very successful year, the Woman's Literary Club met with Mrs. John D. Ferguson, club president, as hostess, in a tea Friday afternoon.

Members were greeted by Mrs. Ferguson and directed to the dining room, where the tea table was laid with a white linen cut-work cloth and appointed in crystal. An arrangement of various spring flowers formed a large nosegay centering the table, and small nosegays led from this to the corners of the table. Mrs. John Howard Jr. was in charge of the tea services, and was assisted by Mrs. W. L. Boyd Jr., Mrs. Herman Treadwell, Mrs. Joe Moser and Mrs. Art Carmichael.

One of the small nosegays was presented each member as a gift from the club president.

Opening the business hour, the club collect was led by Mrs. Gordon Bennett. Roll call was answered with "The Program I Liked Best This Year."

Mrs. O. D. Roland, club delegate to the convention of Texas Federation of Women's Club, which convened recently at Mineral Wells, brought an interesting account of the convention. The district theme is "Power in Unity," and this was stressed in all programs, Mrs. Roland stated.

Mrs. Tarlton Willingham, who accompanied Mrs. Roland to the convention, discussed the luncheon and principal speakers.

The following officers for the club year beginning next September were installed by Mrs. Ferguson in an impressive jewel ceremony: Mrs. O. D. Roland, president; Mrs. Tarlton Willingham, first vice president; Mrs. Jim Howard King, second vice president; Mrs. E. J. Whaley, recording secretary; Mrs. Thomas Ferguson, corresponding secretary; Mrs. R. D. Moore, treasurer; Mrs. Loren Griffin, parliamentarian; Mrs. W. L. Boyd Jr., critic; Mrs. J. W. McCrary, musician; Mrs. John Walton, reporter; Mrs. H. O. Cassle, librarian; Mrs. Gordon Bennett, junior Literary Club counsellor; and Mrs. John Walton, co-counsellor.

Mrs. O. D. Roland appointed committees for the coming year, and the meeting adjourned.

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College Students Home For Easter Holidays

Happy Easter holidays were spent last week-end by Hamlin parents and their sons and daughters who were home for a few days from colleges and universities over the state. Incoming of other members of many of the families completed the reunion in several homes.

Of course, big meals were features of the students' home-coming, and other social functions highlighted the week-end get-togethers.

Students home from Hardin-Simmons University, Abilene, for the Easter holidays were Jesse Locke, Lee Roy Daniell, Bill Scott, Frances Ubben, Jo Anne McCrary, Jeannine Johnston, Bill Harbert, Dwain Brown and Koleta Clements.

From Texas State College for Women, Denton, were Inez Baggett, Verna Mae Colwell and Ruby Joyce Redus.

McMurry College students here from Abilene were Frances Gardner, Robert Gardner, Loy Fry Jr. and Billye Fay Rountree.

From North Texas State College, Denton, were Bettye George, Delma Rhoton and R. M. Petty.

John Tarleton College, Stephenville, enrollees home were Ola Jean McInroe, Mart O. Farrow and John Wesley Jones.

Students home from Texas Technological College, Lubbock, were Billie Kathryn Lancaster, Maxine Poe and Elmer Feagan.

Frank James Joiner Jr. Weds Stamford Girl

In double ring ceremony performed in the First Baptist Church at Stamford Monday morning of last week, Louise Clark of Stamford became bride of Frank James Joiner Jr., who has made his home with his grandmother, Mrs. G. H. Joiner of Hamlin, for several years. The rites were said by Rev. Miles B. Hayes, pastor of the Stamford church.

Curtiss Meeks of Abilene, and Lois Clark, twin sister of the bride, were the only attendants at the wedding.

Frank James, son of F. J. Joiner Sr. of Fort Worth, attended Hamlin High School for several years. He will be employed in his father's store in Fort Worth, where the couple will make their home.

Llera York and G. W. Drummond Married

In an Easter setting in the First Baptist Church at Rotan Sunday afternoon at 5:00 o'clock, Llera York became the bride of G. W. Drummond of Hamlin. Mrs. Drummond was formerly a resident of Hamlin before her association with the Callan Hospital at Rotan. Drummond is the son of Mrs. G. W. C. Drummond who lives near Hamlin.

The double ring ceremony was read by the church pastor, Rev. Olie T. Brown, against a background altar of potted Easter lilies, white snapdragons and white larkspur. Nuptial music was played during the brief ceremony by Mildred Watson, former church pianist, and now a student at Hardin-Simmons University, Abilene.

For the wedding ceremony Mrs. Drummond wore an oyster white wool gabardine suit, with the soft dressmaker jacket featuring lapel bindings of black and white silk braid. She wore a crownless model off-face black straw hat, and other accessories in black patent. Gift from the groom was a shoulder corsage of sweetheart rosebuds.

After a short wedding trip the couple will live at Hamlin.

Hortense Phenix Makes McMurry Honor Roll

Hortense Phenix of Hamlin was named to the fall semester and mid-term spring semester honor roll at McMurry College, Abilene, Dr. H. S. von Roeder, acting registrar, this week announced.

Daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Phenix of Hamlin, Hortense was one out of a group of more than 60 students to earn a place on the honor roll at this time, Dr. Von Roeder added.

Teen Agers Sponsors Plan May Gatherings

Sponsors of the Jolly Teen Agers met in their monthly business and program planning session Tuesday afternoon in the home of Mrs. John Barnett.

A month of fun and entertainment for May was outlined by the group. Present were Mrs. Seth Adams, Mrs. Garland Coltharp, Mrs. French, Mrs. W. C. Hargrove, Mrs. John Barnett and Mrs. R. M. Myers.

"Don't Be Afraid to Laugh" Is P-TA Topic

Elementary Parent-Teacher Association of Hamlin will meet in the grade school auditorium Thursday afternoon of next week, according to Mrs. Fred Smith, publicity chairman. The session will get underway at 3:45 o'clock.

Sixth grade pupils will be featured in entertainment numbers. Margerette Nobles will discuss the topic, "Don't Be Afraid to Laugh."

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For Congress, 17th District:
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For Clerk of District Court:
LEON THURMAN

For County Judge:
JOEL V. GRIMES
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For Sheriff of Jones County:
BILL DUNWODY
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For County Treasurer:
BILL ARMSTRONG
GENE SPURGIN JR.

For County Clerk:
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H. O. ROWLAND JR.

For County Tax Assessor-Collector:
WEAVER BAUCUM
ELZY BENNETT
W. K. HORN

For County School Superintendent:
B. T. BEAVER

For County Attorney:
GEORGE P. HUDSON

For Commissioner, Precinct No. 1:
G. R. RIDDLE

The Herald is authorized to announce the following candidates for office in Fisher County, subject to action of the Democratic primary election on July 27, 1946:

For Sheriff
LEONARD G. BARNES

For Commissioner, Precinct No. 1:
W. H. (HOSS) BARTON

For Commissioner, Precinct No. 2:
E. C. WALDROP
D. I. (IKE) WEST

Lions and Ladies to Sylvester.
President Art Carmichael of the Hamlin Lions Club and wife and Harold Bonner and wife attended a ladies' night program of the Sylvester Lions Club at the Fisher County town last Tuesday night. An interesting session was reported.

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Hamlin Lumber Dealers Go to State Gathering

A. Spencer and Paul Bryan, Hamlin lumbermen, returned several days ago from Galveston, where they attended annual sessions of Texas Lumbermen's Association convention.

The local men reported that the prospect for improvement in the building material supply is still not encouraging. This conclusion was reached in conferences with sawmill men and others connected with the building supply industry.

Parking Stripes Completed.

Yellow striping to designate the parking spaces for cars in downtown Hamlin was completed on the curbs of eCentral Avenue and a few side streets last week-end. Car owners are urged by city officials to observe the stripes to permit maximum parking along the thoroughfares.

Some Kindness Left in Him.

"Did you know that that feller who is runnin' for office has a glass eye?" "No. Can you tell which one it is?"

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Max B. Carlton Gets Discharge From Navy

Max B. Carlton of Hamlin was among United States Navy personnel honorably discharged from the service at the Naval Personnel Separation Center at Shoemaker, California, Tuesday of last week. The Herald is advised by the center.

Max, son of Mr. and Mrs. B. W. Carlton of Route 2, served in the Pacific area as an aviation machinist's mate first class.

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NOTICE OF CONSOLIDATION ELECTION

The State of Texas, County of Jones: To the legally qualified voters of Hamlin Independent School District and Neinda Common School District No. 27:

Take notice that elections will be held within said Hamlin Independent School District and Neinda Common School District No. 27 on the 27th day of April, 1946, at the places and on the proposition more fully set forth in the order of the County Judge of Jones County, Texas, substantially as follows, to-wit:

"On this the 3rd day of April, 1946, there were presented to me a petition signed by Tate May and 32 other legally qualified voters of Hamlin Independent School District and a petition signed by C. E. Gregory and 22 other legally qualified voters of Neinda Common School District No. 27, which petitions prayed for a consolidation of said districts and the issuance of an order of an election for that purpose.

"I find that the petition signed by Tate May and others was signed by 33 legally qualified voters of Hamlin Independent School District, and that the petition presented by C. E. Gregory and others was signed by 23 legally qualified voters of Neinda Common School District No. 27.

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submitted to the legally qualified voters of said Districts the following proposition:

"Shall Hamlin Independent School District and Neinda Common School District No. 27 in Jones County, Texas, be consolidated for school purposes and be known as 'Hamlin Consolidated Independent School District'?"

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"Official ballot. For consolidation of Hamlin Independent School District and Neinda Common School District No. 27 in Jones County."

"Against consolidation of Hamlin Independent School District and Neinda Common School District No. 27 in Jones County."

"Each voter shall draw a line through one of the above expressions, thus leaving the other to indicate his vote.

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"Issued this the 3rd day of April, 1946.—Glibert Smith, County Judge, Jones County, Texas." (Seal) 23-3c



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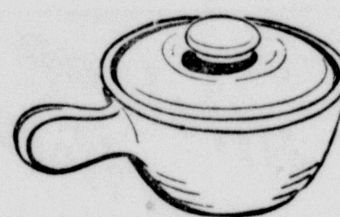
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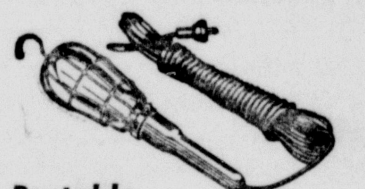
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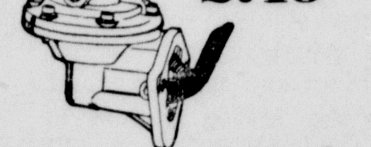
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The Roosevelt programs which restored to the forgotten man his rightful place in a democratic society also made agriculture strong and resourceful. When the Roosevelt administration began, agriculture was bankrupt. Farmers were rapidly losing their land, their homes. The land was being mined of its fertility. But in his first term President Roosevelt reversed the trend. Farmers' net income was tripled. Thousands of homes and farms were saved from foreclosure. Markets were regained. A program of soil conservation laid the basis for permanent plenty.

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Truly, if "friend in need is friend indeed," Franklin D. Roosevelt was the best friend the farmer ever had.—Clinton P. Anderson, Secretary of Agriculture.

WHAT CONTEMPORARIES ARE SAYING

NYLONS VS. SILKS FACES AMERICA

Nylon stockings are evidently to be scarce until next year. It will take at least that long, according to the present outlook, for the new nylon yarn producing processes to hit on all cylinders.

In the meantime, imports from Japan of silk hose and silk for hose are to be speeded up, especially in the second half of this year. On March 17 the War Department announced it had approved tentative plans submitted by General MacArthur for a wide range of Japanese exports—of which the United States would get chiefly rayon goods and silk.

When the war with Japan ended last August the general prediction was that American women would not be wearing silk hose very often any more. Even who nand if these should again become available.

Most women think the nylons look better and wear longer. And the nylons should cost less than the silks. Prior to the war, Japan used subsidies to hold down the price of the raw silk sent to the United States hosiery mills. The Japanese war lords wanted the dollar exchange with which to buy war materials.

The V-J Day prediction of no more silk hose should be borne out soon after the production of nylon hose finally reaches full stride. When that happy day arrives, silk stockings may well be on their last legs—figuratively and literally.—Gainesville Register.

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There is no longer any doubt about starting this building this summer. The main thing now is if you want a hospital, this is your chance. Remember, your share in the building will be shown by a certificate of membership, a document that is negotiable. It is yours to do what you may with it. But no one person can own more than one membership.

If your neighbor does not take The Herald, see that he knows about the above statements.

New Dictionaries for School.

Three large type Webster international dictionaries were installed this week in the Hamlin Schools for use by students. The dictionaries are the first complete new edition published by Webster publishers since 1909.

Three Hear Eisenhower At A. & M. Ceremonies

General Dwight D. Eisenhower had at last three Hamlin ex-students of A. & M. College in his audience when he spoke Sunday morning to more than 12,000 at special services at Kyle Field. The services climaxed a several-day visit of top army men and government officials to the huge Texas school at College Station.

Eisenhower declared that Texas A. & M. College furnished more generals in World War II than did West Point, and more officers went from A. & M. to the service than any other school in the United States.

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The tour will start in Abilene Tuesday, May 14, and work to the northwest, with herds around Anson, Stamford, Hamlin, Merkel and north Abilene to be visited. The visitors will be guests of Mrs. Morton at her 6 Ranch north of Hamlin for a barbecue dinner.

The group will swing south the second day, visiting herds south of Abilene and those in the Coleman area. The group will be guests of the Coleman County Breeder-Feeder association for a noon-day barbecue. Then on the final day the visitors will go to the Hardy Grissom ranch east of Abilene for a demonstration of the use of DDT in control of flies and lice, to be given by Dr. E. W. Burke of the Bureau of Entomology, Dallas. The next stop will be at the E. W. Moutray's ranch northeast

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of Baird, where Moutray will throw a barbecue dinner. The tour will then go to Putnam, Moran and Albany.

Members of the committee working up the plans, in addition to Mrs. Morton, are Jim Gill of Coleman, Horace Sedwick of Coleman, W. J. Fulwiler, D. H. Jefferies and County Agent Elmo Cook of Abilene.

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HUGHSTON TELLS ROTARIANS COTTON IS HERE TO STAY

"Cotton, the Hub of Southern Agriculture," was the topic of a very interesting discussion by T. H. Hughston, manager of the Hamlin Mid-Western Cooperative Oil Mill, at the Tuesday luncheon meeting of Hamlin Rotary Club at the Morgan Hotel.

Mr. Hughston devoted the early portion of his talk to exploded the theory that profitable production of cotton in America is doomed because of various threats of lower production costs by other countries and destructive competition by synthetics and other fibers.

No country of the world, despite cheap labor and other factors, can produce cotton cheaper than can be done in America, Hughston told his hearers. Statistics, he said, prove that India and Russia produce cotton at greater cost per pound than in America.

"American consumption of cotton is high; and it would be much higher if American mills could turn out goods enough to supply the civilian demand," the speaker declared. "For the most part, the unsupplied civilian demands now are building up an appetite to be satisfied by post-war consumption."

"War has increased the need for cotton in industry. Since Pearl Harbor, only about half of the cotton consumed in this country has gone into civilian and military clothing and household uses. The rest has poured into our vast industrial uses, filling the demands for all-out production."

"The 13,000,000 Americans employed in the \$10,000,000,000 cotton business are supporting their families on a higher standard of living than is found in any other country in the world. These Americans are not willing or ready to get out of the cotton business. Cotton is here to stay," Hughston concluded.

Guests at the Tuesday Rotary Club meeting were W. J. Bryant and John Bryant of Stamford, and James Tate May, just out of Army service.

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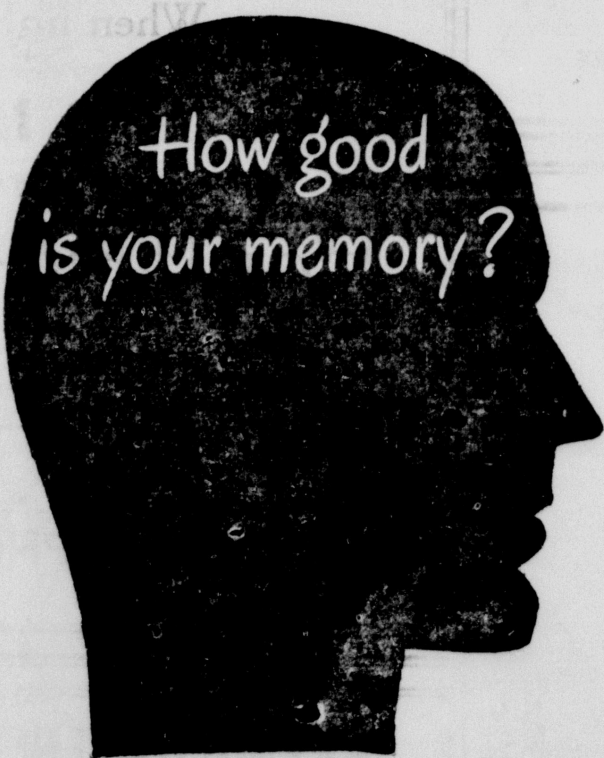
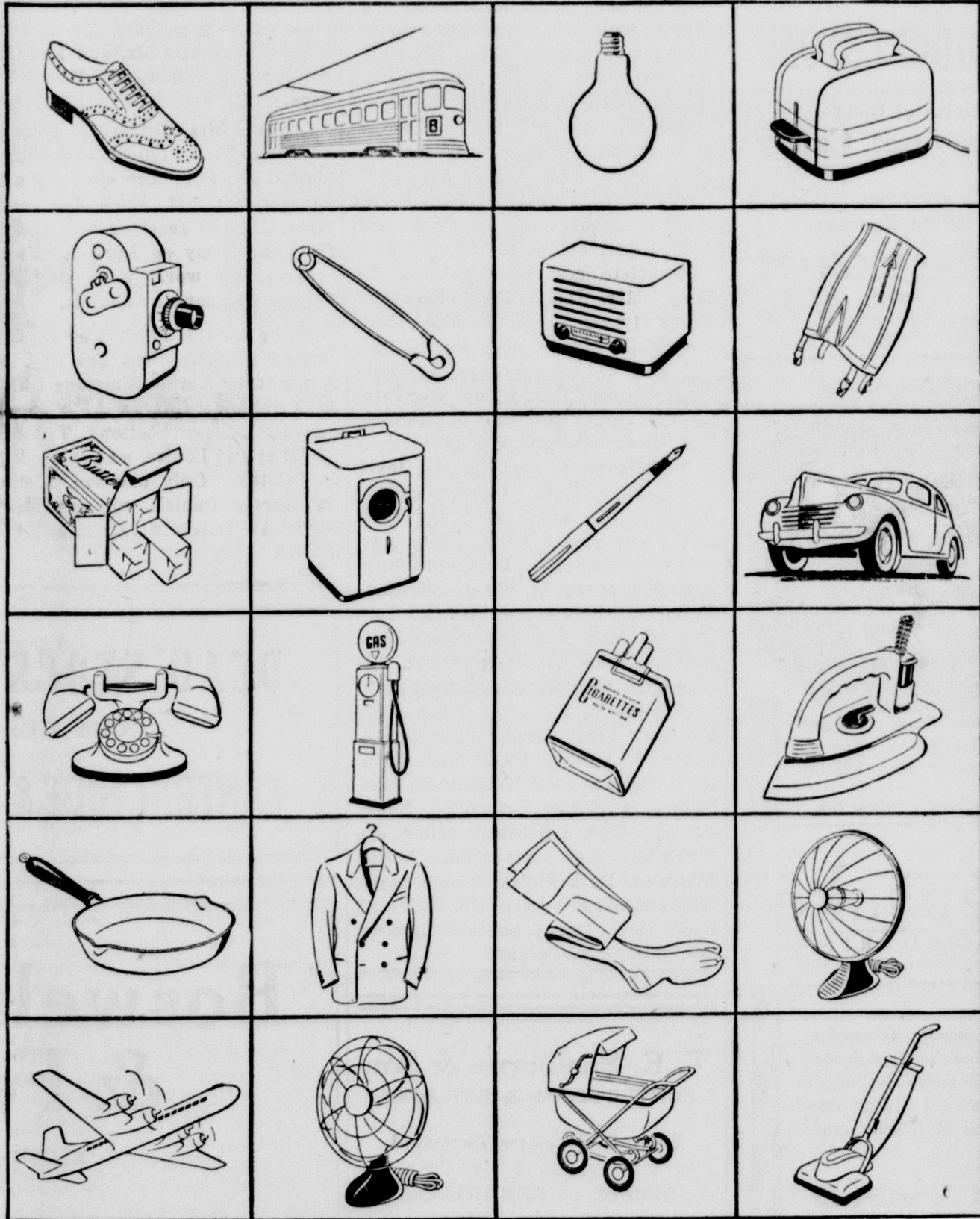
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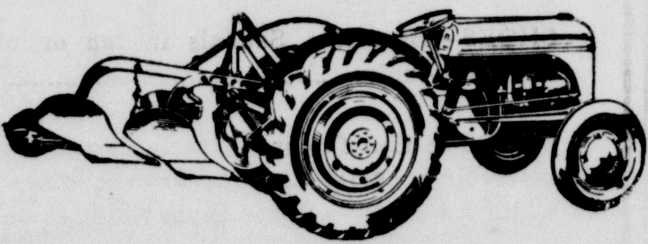
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ROOSEVELT AND THE FARMER

The American farmer's miracle of production—the great outpouring of food that gave us strength in our fight for freedom—is another monument to Franklin D. Roosevelt.

The Roosevelt programs which restored to the forgotten man his rightful place in a democratic society also made agriculture strong and resourceful. When the Roosevelt administration began, agriculture was bankrupt. Farmers were rapidly losing their land, their homes. The land was being mined of its fertility. But in his first term President Roosevelt reversed the trend. Farmers' net income was tripled. Thousands of homes and farms were saved from foreclosure. Markets were regained. A program of soil conservation laid the basis for permanent plenty.

Thus, when the world's freedom depended so greatly upon American agriculture, the free men of the farms, and their wives and children, could and did respond gloriously. Their production is now saving millions of lives.

Truly, if "friend in need is friend indeed," Franklin D. Roosevelt was the best friend the farmer ever had.—Clinton P. Anderson, Secretary of Agriculture.

WHAT CONTEMPORARIES ARE SAYING

NYLONS VS. SILKS FACES AMERICA

Nylon stockings are evidently to be scarce until next year. It will take at least that long, according to the present outlook, for the new nylon yarn producing processes to hit on all cylinders.

In the meantime, imports from Japan of silk hose and silk for hose are to be speeded up, especially in the second half of this year. On March 17 the War Department announced it had approved tentative plans submitted by General MacArthur for a wide range of Japanese exports—of which the United States would get chiefly rayon goods and silk.

When the war with Japan ended last August the general prediction was that American women would not be wearing silk hose very often any more. Even who and if these should again become available.

Most women think the nylons look better and wear longer. And the nylons should cost less than the silks. Prior to the war, Japan used subsidies to hold down the price of the raw silk sent to the United States hosiery mills. The Japanese war lords wanted the dollar exchange with which to buy war materials.

The V-J Day prediction of no more silk hose should be borne out soon after the production of nylon hose finally reaches full stride. When that happy day arrives, silk stockings may well be on their last legs—figuratively and literally.—Gainesville Register.

HAMLIN HOSPITAL

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lies. Look them over, then add the following to the list. Here they are and all of them have their money in the bank or are paying out the \$50 each month: D. J. Herbst, G. A. Seymore, W. H. Carter, J. E. Wright, R. B. (Banks) Green, Ovid Lawlis, B. H. Gardner, Mrs. Vera Nobles, Mrs. M. Y. Wilson, W. B. Scott, Jim Young, Mrs. Annie Mae Childress, E. W. Cox, Mrs. N. E. Money, I. R. Hutchinson, Sim Martin, A. G. Smith, Art Newcomb, Mrs. J. W. Ezell (who not only took one for herself but gave a family one), E. W. Ueckert, T. C. Gregory, Noel Weaver, C. P. Yates, F. B. Rosenbaum, Haskell Carter, A. A. Callo-way, Fred B. Moore Jr., W. B. Cotton, C. R. Crowley, Judge L. Crow, Paul Galey and J. T. Hart, making a total of 314 families. No family is listed unless the name is on a deposit slip.

There is no longer any doubt about starting this building this summer. The main thing now is if you want a hospital, this is your chance. Remember, your share in the building will be shown by a certificate of membership, a document that is negotiable. It is yours to do what you may with it. But no one person can own more than one membership.

If your neighbor does not take The Herald, see that he knows about the above statements.

New Dictionaries for School.

Three large type Webster international dictionaries were installed this week in the Hamlin Schools for use by students. The dictionaries are the first complete new edition published by Webster publishers since 1909.

Three Hear Eisenhower At A. & M. Ceremonies

General Dwight D. Eisenhower had at last three Hamlin ex-students of A. & M. College in his audience when he spoke Sunday morning to more than 12,000 at special services at Kyle Field. The services climaxed a several-day visit of top army men and government officials to the huge Texas school at College Station.

Eisenhower declared that Texas A. & M. College furnished more generals in World War II than did West Point, and more officers went from A. & M. to the service than any other school in the United States.

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TENTATIVE PLANS OF HEREFORD TOUR SHOW HAMLIN STOP

Tentative plans for the revived best Texas Hereford Association sponsored three-day Hereford tour field day, May 14, 15 and 16, have been made by tour committee, headed by Mrs. Fay Young Morton of Hamlin.

The tour will start in Abilene Tuesday, May 14, and work to the northwest, with herds around Anson, Hamford, Hamlin, Merkel and north Abilene to be visited. The visitors will be guests of Mrs. Morton at her 16 Ranch north of Hamlin for a barbecue dinner.

The group will swing south the second day, visiting herds south of Abilene and those in the Coleman area. The group will be guests of the Coleman County Breeder-Feeder Association for a noon-day barbecue. Then on the final day the visitors will go to the Hardy Grissom ranch east of Abilene for a demonstration of the use of DDT in control of flies and lice, to be given by Dr. E. W. Moultrie of the Bureau of Entomology, Dallas. The next stop will be at the E. W. Moultrie's ranch northeast

BAGS FOR KIDS, TOO



Sweet cotton wear for children is illustrated in the tiny yellow dress (above) edged in white lace, made from cotton bags ripped up and dyed by a clever homemaker. The bag idea helps to beat the piece goods shortage that baffles the seamstress.

of Baird, where Moultrie will throw a barbecue dinner. The tour will then go to Putnam, Moran and Albany.

Members of the committee working up the plans, in addition to Mrs. Morton, are Jim Gill of Coleman, Horace Sedwick of Coleman, W. J. Fulwiler, D. H. Jefferies and County Agent Elmo Cook of Abilene.

HUGHSTON TELLS ROTARIANS COTTON IS HERE TO STAY

"Cotton, the Hub of Southern Agriculture," was the topic of a very interesting discussion by T. H. Hughston, manager of the Hamlin Mid-Western Cooperative Oil Mill, at the Tuesday luncheon meeting of Hamlin Rotary Club at the Morgan Hotel.

Mr. Hughston devoted the early portion of his talk to exploded the theory that profitable production of cotton in America is doomed because of various threats of lower production costs by other countries and destructive competition by synthetics and other fibers.

No country of the world, despite cheap labor and other factors, can produce cotton cheaper than can be done in America, Hughston told his hearers. Statistics, he said, prove that India and Russia produce cotton at greater cost per pound than in America.

"American consumption of cotton is high; and it would be much higher if American mills could turn out goods enough to supply the civilian demand," the speaker declared. "For the most part, the unsupplied civilian demands now are building up an appetite to be satisfied by post-war consumption."

"War has increased the need for cotton in industry. Since Pearl Harbor, only about half of the cotton consumed in this country has gone into civilian and military clothing and household uses. The rest has poured into our vast industrial uses, filling the demands for all-out production."

"The 13,000,000 Americans employed in the \$10,000,000,000 cotton business are supporting their families on a higher standard of living than is found in any other country in the world. These Americans are not willing or ready to get out of the cotton business. Cotton is here to stay," Hughston concluded.

Guests at the Tuesday Rotary Club meeting were W. J. Bryant and John Bryant of Stamford, and James Tate May, just out of Army service.

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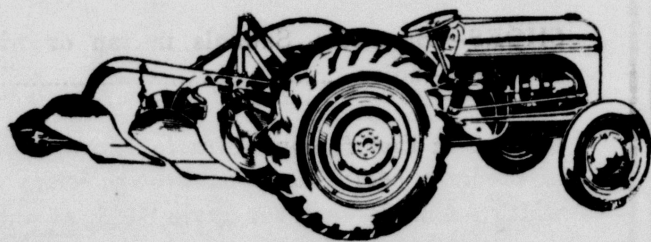
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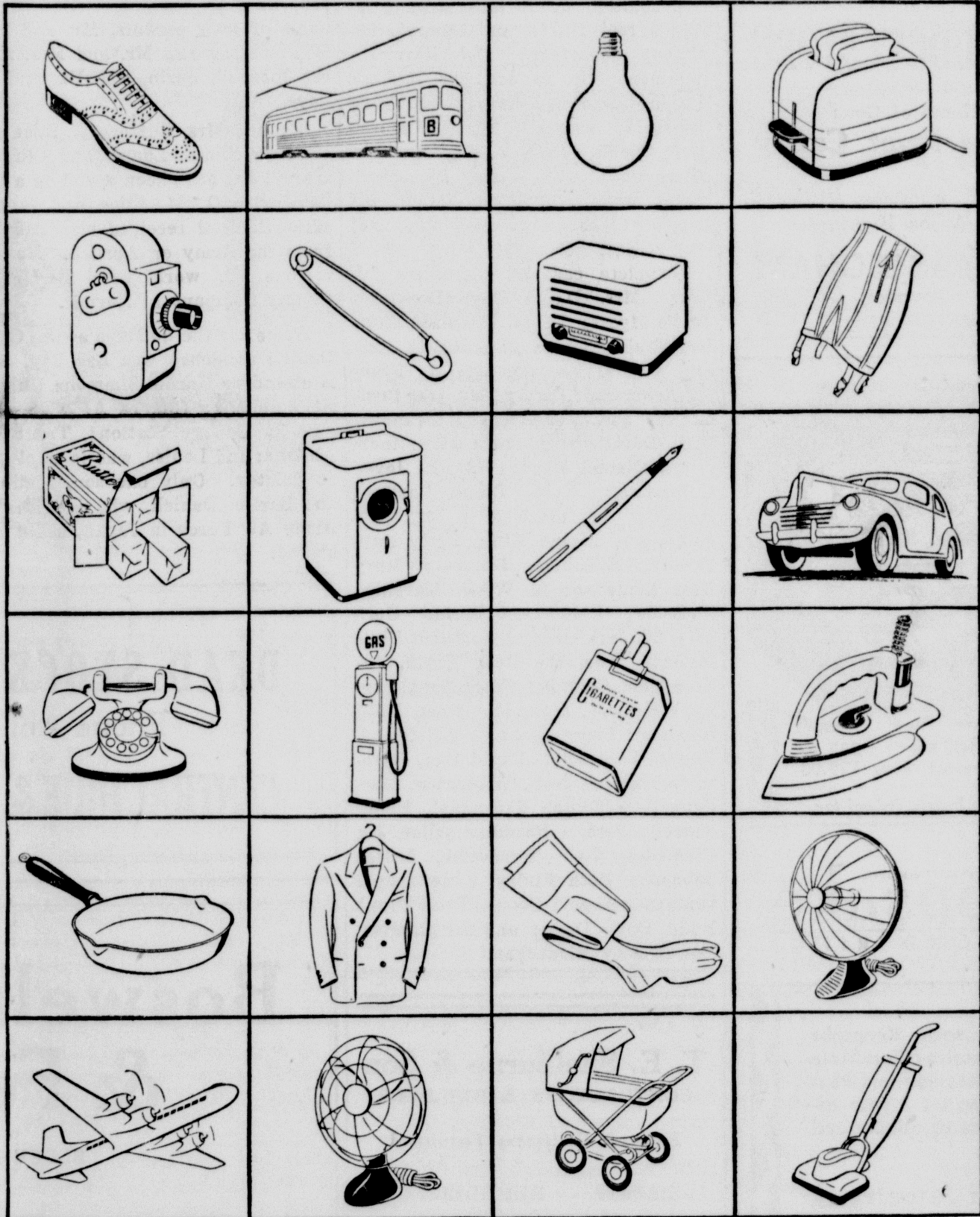
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SENIOR PLAY WILL BE RIOT OF FUN IN FRIDAY OFFERING

Seniors of Hamlin High School have cooked up an outstanding batch of entertainment for play-goers of the section in the annual production slated for presentation in the high school auditorium Friday evening at 8:00 o'clock.

How can one do justice to a riot of comedy like "Days Without Daddy"? The answer is, one can't. Did you ever try to describe a circus? With three rings? You get the idea. Yes, it's about the war—in a way. But it's all on the laughing side.

Daddy Day is off to war in the Far East. Harriett Day is at home with her small baby while hubby is at the front. Mary Day is a WAC. Betty Day, the irresistible (to men), has established a canteen in the recreation room. And Danny Day, just turned the least responsible 18 in history, is ready for his physical at the draft board. Of course, no one expects him to be accepted. But he is. And with his characteristic enthusiasm he sends his civvies home before he is given a uniform—which means that, while he is waiting for final orders, he must come home in his shorts (under a raincoat).

Daddy Day comes home unexpectedly. He finds Lieutenant Guilbert on hand, about to wed Mary. Hadn't Daddy told Guilbert to stay away from Mary—far away? He had. But before he has time to go into action on this front, he has to settle matters concerning his wife (who imagines she is quite a writer) and one Professor Fud, a crackpot teach-

BITS OF NEWS ABOUT FOLKS YOU KNOW

J. W. Griffin is visiting with his son, J. A. Griffin, at Orange.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Hart spent the week-end with relatives at Seymour.

Mrs. D. O. Sauls has returned to her home in Hamlin from an extended stay in Houston.

Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Peterman of Wichita Falls spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. P. D. Harkins.

Mrs. L. C. Whittaker of Abilene was a guest for several days in the home of her son, Bob Whittaker.

D. P. Connally, linotype operator and pressman at The Herald, spent the week-end with friends at Austin.

Mrs. John Carpenter and daughter of Amarillo spent the week-end with their husband and father, at Celotex.

Willie Belle Walton of Monterey Park, California, is visiting with her father, W. L. Walton, and other relatives at Hamlin.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Pitzer of Chickasha, Oklahoma, were guests in the H. O. Cassle home during the Easter season.

Bob Bledsoe, apprentice seaman of Southwestern University, Georgetown, spent the Easter holidays with his mother, Mrs. Margaret Bledsoe.

Mr. and Mrs. Alton Clemmer and family had as their guests through the Easter holidays Mrs. Clemmer's sister, Zola Mae Elliott, a student at Texas Technological College, Lubbock, and a small cousin, Sue Mulanax, also of Lubbock.

er of journalism—or something. What with the canteen visitors boiling around, all intent on becoming engaged to Betty; and the impending wedding which grandma and the two spinster aunts have cooked up into a real fluff; and Danny's imminent departure; and Harriett's imminent trip to see her husband (taking with her her infant, Chris Michael); and with Piggy, Danny's girl friend, collaborating (to the bitter end) with Danny in experiments with high explosives in the basement laboratory—what's the use? You've just got to see it!

Complete cast of characters follows: Mrs. David Day (Dorothy), Jessie Myers; Leota, the maid, Zona Lee Faulkenberry; Mrs. Bustle, cook and general housekeeper, Ida Frances Robertson; Danny Day, just turned 18, James Sedberry; Grandma Day, Dorothy's matriarchal mother-in-law, Naomi Young; Annie, Joyce Culbertson; Kate, Diane Carlton; Harriett Day, married to Dorothy's eldest son, Elaine Kite; Betty Day, twenty, Elizabeth Butcher; Mary Day, lieutenant in WAC, Margaret McBride; Lieutenant Kenny Guilbert, 27, Jack Gray; Lieutenant Dixie Roberts, from the Deep South, Arthur Tom Carlton; Lieutenant Ranny Whitmore, from Far West, Brad Rowland; Piggy, Danny's girl friend, Peggy Wainwright; David Day, Dorothy's husband, Jerry Waggoner; Macdougall, a Scotch lieutenant, Elmer Terrell; Jose, a Brazilian sailor, Joe Clements; Rev. Frederick, Milton Johnson; Beth Finley, a newspaper reporter, Maudie Beene; Prof. Frank Fudd, Doyle Dean; and the plumber, Ben Wesley Niedeecken.

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Mrs. Earl Kiser of Seminole has been visiting with her mother, Mrs. O. L. Jenkins, and family.

Mutt Nicholson of Odessa spent Sunday in Hamlin with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Nicholson.

Mrs. Clinton Bristow and children, Wayne and Dudley, of Muleshoe visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. J. King.

Colonel and Mrs. G. M. Roper and daughter, Betty, of Odessa visited in the home of E. F. Fahey last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Peterson of Ropesville visited Mrs. Lala Harbert and W. H. Carter and family over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Bean and children of Dallas visited with his aunt, Mrs. Lala Harbert, and his father, John Bean.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim King of Compton, California, were guests in the home of his uncle, S. J. King, in Hamlin for several days.

Mrs. Eugene McInroe and daughter, Ola Jean, of Stephenville have been spending the Easter holidays with friends at Hamlin.

Mrs. Willard Jones and daughter, Annetta Jeanne, of Snyder spent the week-end in Hamlin with Publisher Willard Jones of The Herald.

Mrs. Tom Teague has returned home from Marlin, where she has been staying with her mother and father while receiving treatments.

Mrs. Richard Hinkle and children, Harry Bowen and Virginia Ann, of Midland spent the week-end with their parents and grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Bowen Pope.

Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Johnson and son, Bob, of Amherst visited in the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Fahey and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Johnson, during the Easter holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford M. Stice and children, Linda Louise and Clifford Merrill Jr., have been spending a few days with O. M. Stice and family, after Clifford received his discharge from the Army on April 5. He will resume his work with Bethlehem Supply Company at Kermit.

Home for the holidays at the G. A. Daniell residence were Lee Roy, who is attending Hardin-Simmons University, Abilene; Guy of A. & M. College at College Station; Truett of Abilene; and Louise, who is employed at Celotex. Only one son, Lieutenant Barton Daniell, who is with the Army Air Force in Japan, could not attend.

Mr. and Mrs. N. F. Anderson of Odessa have been visiting in the home of Mrs. Dan Stephens.

Mrs. G. H. Joiner had as Easter guests Mrs. Omer Burkett and daughter, Carole, and Mrs. Loving of Eastland.

Colonel and Mrs. Charles Garrett are here visiting Mr. and Mrs. Tex Moore and Dr. and Mrs. Joe McCrary.

Mrs. Duffield Smith and two sons, Duffield Jr. and Wade, of Dallas, were visitors for several days in the home of Mrs. Smith's parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. O. Cassle.

Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Carlton and little son, Jerry, of Holdenville, Oklahoma, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Carlton's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Carlton, and Mrs. B. S. Ferguson.

Mickey McGuire and aunt, Mrs. Nannie Phelps, went to Abilene Tuesday to be at the bedside of their sister and niece, Mrs. M. A. Bond, who underwent major surgery Monday. They reported Mrs. Bond doing nicely.

Mr. and Mrs. Shannon Carter and son, J. W., returned home Sunday from Greenville, where they spent the week-end with their mother, Mrs. S. M. Carter, and other relatives. They also visited with Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Dean at Fort Worth. Helen Wall, a niece of the Carters, returned with them for a visit.

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State charter for the Fisher County Memorial Hospital has been granted, according to S. Lee Hall, Roby postmaster and secretary-treasurer of the board of directors of the cooperative institution. The hospital plan for Roby is similar to that being used by the Hamlin Memorial Hospital Association.

Tentative site for erection of the hospital is the water tower hill, overlooking Roby.

Investigation is being made into the possibility of obtaining surplus government property to aid in the building construction, Roby leaders state.

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MRS. J. M. MONTGOMERY, Correspondent

Carolyn Beane spent the Easter holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Beane. She is a student at Texas Technological College, Lubbock.

Mr. and Mrs. Cameron Short and baby spent the week-end in the Brewer home. Mr. Short is attending Hardin-Simmons University, Abilene.

A bridal shower honoring Mrs. Harold Gene Reed, the former Ada Earl Cook, was given in the Walker home near Golan Friday afternoon. Many nice gifts were received by the bride.

Breezy Cox was home for the Easter holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Waldo Cox. Other visitors in the Cox home have been their daughter and son-in-law.

Mr. and Mrs. G. S. Barnes are visiting relatives at Waco. While there Mr. Barnes will go to the hospital for a check-up.

Mr. and Mrs. Ross Douglas were shopping in Sweetwater Wednesday afternoon.

Mrs. Paul Turner and Mrs. Milton Montgomery shopped in Abilene Friday afternoon.

Jack Medley, an old-timer here, was calling on old friends Saturday afternoon. It was his first visit here in several years. He was accom-

panied by his son-in-law, Ernest Smith, and daughter of Corpus Christi.

Mrs. Bruno Carroll and children of Menard were visiting friends and relatives over the week-end.

Word has been received of the marriage in Rangor, Maine, of Jack Pursley and Louine Clewley on Thursday evening, April 18. They will make their home in Texas.

Mrs. Hugh Hood has as her guest Mrs. Ethyl Bowin of Harlingen.

Mrs. Fred Fountain spent Saturday night with her mother, Mrs. A. W. Pursley.

A large crowd attended the style show given by the home economics girls at the high school auditorium Friday evening. Alice Cross is home economics teacher.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert McHaney and little son spent the Easter holidays visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. McHaney and Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Griffin. Mr. McHaney is a student at Texas A. & M. College at College Station.

Lavern and Billie Jean Cook of Sweetwater have been visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Grady Cook. Jeff W. Ward is here with Mr. and Mrs. Jack Stone. He was discharged recently from the Army at Camp MacArthur, California.

Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey McCright and children spent Sunday afternoon visiting relatives south of Sweetwater.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Dixon and children, Billy James and Sherry, of Fort Worth spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Will Kelly.

Dr. and Mrs. Elmer John Hawkins and baby are visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Hawkins.

Mrs. Marvin Maberry has been visiting relatives here for several days, but returned home Sunday.

Mrs. A. D. Williams is still confined in a Rotal hospital, where she

SCHOOL RENDITIONS FOR 1946 TO SHOW DECIDED INCREASE

Probable total valuations in the Hamlin School District of \$2,225,000 for 1946 are seen by school board officials, H. O. Carter, secretary-treasurer of the board of education told The Herald Wednesday. This amount would reflect a gain of \$75,000 over last year's assessed valuations of \$1,950,000.

Carter says that renditions are expected to be completed by May 1. Considerable amount of new property, as well as increased values on old renditions will account for the raise in valuations.

Last year's maximum tax levy of \$1.50 on the \$100 valuation will be reduced for 1946 to \$1.25 under a plan worked out several months ago by school authorities in cooperation with bond holding concerns. This rate will be maintained even with the addition of the recently voted bond issue of \$125,000 for building a new elementary school building in North Hamlin.

School board members point out that with the addition of several school districts adjacent to Hamlin a rate of even \$1 may become effective. This saving could become effective by virtue of assistance from the consolidated districts pooling their renditions with the present Hamlin Independent School District.

has been seriously ill for the past two weeks. Visiting her there have been her children, Mr. and Mrs. Thurnston Williams and son, Henry Allen, of Monahans, and Mr. and Mrs. Lamont Hailey and baby of Stamford.

William Nazworth has returned from a year in the Navy. Mrs. Nazworth, the former Sylvia Mitchell, and sons, Roy Mack and Calvin Ray, have made their home with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Mitchell.

Mrs. Lloyd Campbell, the former Floyce McHaney, underwent surgery at a Sweetwater hospital Friday morning.

Legions Posts to Plan For Americanism Drive

Definite plans for conducting the drive for funds for the American Legion sponsored National Americanism Endowment Fund in Jones County will be made at a joint meeting of Legion officials of the three county posts within a few days. This is announcement made this week by Joe Culbertson, county chairman.

Jones County's quota in the campaign is \$1,098. The drive will be conducted during May.

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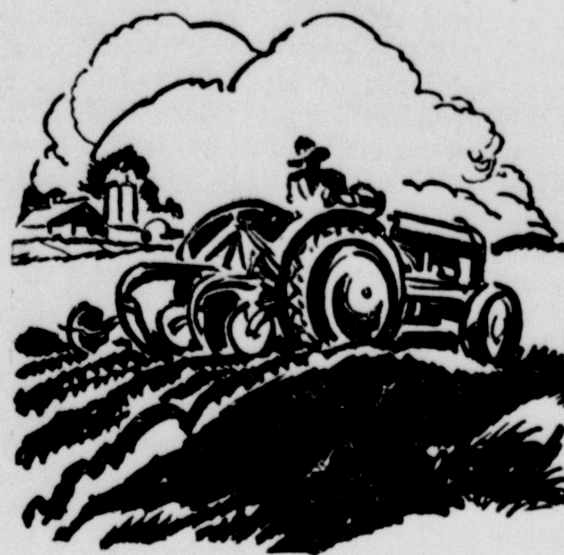
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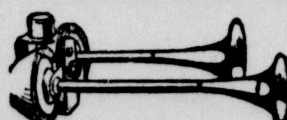
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SMALL PLANTS for house, window boxes or bedding; geraniums, begonias, oxalis, angel wing begonias and ferns.—Frances Floral Shop, South Hamlin. 24-tfc

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Our cemetery is badly in need of care, having not been worked for two years. We are asking for funds to work it out, and if \$100 can be raised from those who have loved ones there, we will go down and do the work. Leave donations at the bank.—Fed. Britton and C. C. Renfro, Trustees. 1p

DO YOU LIKE PIE? Tanda Camp Fire Girls are giving you an opportunity to eat the best home baked pies in Hamlin Tuesday night, April 30, at 8:00 o'clock. There will be the outstanding social event of the season—a game night in the high school cafeteria. Tickets will be 25 cents each. This money will be used to help pay expenses for the girls at this summer's camp. Come one, come all to the big game night! 1c

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SEE THE NEW Webster automatic record player now at King's Supply, next to Carmichael Tractor Company, Hamlin. 1c

POT-SHOTS FROM McCAULLEY

BY GEO DARDEN

The writer wandered off down to the school house last Friday morning to see and hear the pupils of Mrs. L. E. Rector, who furnished the program. The youngsters really did their stuff. Who knows one of those kids may be president some day. If all the chapel programs are that good we don't want to miss a single one.

Louis Earl Madden and LeRoy Prather have been employed at the Celotex Corporation (gyp mill).

Motored over to Sweetwater for the livestock auction sale last Wednesday. Saw old bulls bring 13½ cents per pound. That makes boney a shade high!

Wonder why the results of the Hamlin Rodeo were not published in the Abilene and Fort Worth papers? No one seems to know who won what. Why don't you send it in, George? Answer: We live in McCaulley.

More cats at our house. Who wants on? Kit Sue has become the mother of three strong lung kittens. Would give them a bowl of milk now and then, but we gotta write Austin and find out under what sanitary law folks are permitted to distribute milk to a howling cat.

Some folks in these parts plan to kill their hens and place them in cold storage lockers. Why? Feed is too scarce and eggs too cheap.

Wheat and oats are about passed redemption in West Texas, and if no rain soon it will likely be a tough winter. And, too, it makes it rough on the kids when the ole swimming hole dries up.

Our advice to local candidates is to carry their own drinking water. You may lose a vote if you ask for a drink of water.

Horse trading in these parts is rather brisk nowadays—meaning, of course, saddle type and quarter horses. Bun Henry has purchased a quarter horse stallion for the sum of \$1,250. Rufus Herbst has purchased a two-year-old quarter bred horse. J. P. Humphries swapped a two-year-old five-gaited horse to River Dawson Lee for a three-year-old filly. Vernon Harris sold a three-year-old thoroughbred mare to B. Henry.

Dr. J. T. Chapman of Rotan was in this community last week testing cows for Bangs disease.

W. F. Davison has been on the sick list for the past several days. Also under doctor's treatment are Jerry Miller and R. L. Miers. Ed Mason still is in a Rotan hospital for treatment. J. D. Maberry is slowly improving after many weeks' treatment. Mrs. G. W. Martin is still on the sick list.

Tuesday night, April 16, Mrs. J. W. Rush honored her daughter, Jerry, on her fourteenth birthday with a surprise slumber party and wieners roast. A beautiful birthday cake was served to the following girls, who attended: Charlene Mustain, Clara Jo Allison, Dixie Maberry, Maurine Bateman, Juanita Jo Perryman and Margaret Darden.

McCaulley Grammar School baseball teams from the sixth, seventh and eighth grades went to Sylvester Friday, our girls winning by a score of 27 to 24 and our boys losing by a score of 18 to 17.

John Dean and Jim Fancher are working at the carpenter's trade at Roby, building a house for a preacher, we understand.

Mr. and Mrs. Orvis Hunter and daughters of Dallas spent last weekend in the home of Ruth and Melvin Hunter near McCaulley.

Warrant Officer Elwood Kean and wife of Seattle, Washington, are here for a visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Kean.

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Maberry and son of Dallas visited relatives at Sylvester, Roby and McCaulley for several days.

The annual junior-senior banquet was held at the McCaulley School lunch room last Friday night. Principal address was given by Rev. Finis McBeth of Sweetwater. Sponsors were women of the Baptist Church.

Thanks to O. D. Hunter of Dallas for a renewal to The Herald. Mr. Hunter was a resident of this community many years ago, and naturally likes to keep up with the doings in the old neighborhood.

Guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Berry Sunday were Willie D. Berry and family of Mineral Wells, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Cooper of Hamlin, Mr. and Mrs. M. S. Jean and children of Hamlin, Mr. and Mrs. Blair Berry and daughter and Mr. and Mrs. James Shelly of Rotan.

Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Jones and children visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Jones, near Lubbock last Monday.

COMMENTS IN GENERAL

There is on thing for sure: If Congress discontinues OPA the solid South will feel the effects of same OPA we would have had inflation depression will seem like child's play in comparison. Inflation spells doom for any people. To be sure, the OPA has made many mistakes What organization hasn't? But we must

all agree that had it not been for long ago. People who work for a living at today's wages cannot exist if inflation comes—unless the government once again sets up "soup lines." And what a shame that will be if our country is plunged again into a depression! The blame of such a panic will rest squarely upon the shoulders of the House and Senate. The big boys are lobbying to make the rich richer and the poor poorer. Did you notice that as many as four congressmen from Texas failed to vote on the bill just passed by the lower House? Where was the representative who calls small town boys whipper-snappers? Out to lunch, eh?

Playing politics is fine and dandy for public officials who think only of their own personal welfare. We need to send men to Congress, to the governor's chair and on down the line—even to the offices of justice of the peace and constable—who will spend at least some of their time for the welfare of the citizens as a whole. Might even include school board members who sometimes are "yes" men for the big shot who wears a high standing collar. We glory in the man's "spunk" who has the nerve and foresight to stand up and fight for what he believes to be right even though the seat of his pants is out. The so-called "bluebloods" and the

socially prominent are a long way from being the backbone of this nation. About the only time the laborer, the farmer and small business man get any attention from Washington is when some of those "birds" are seeking office. And, as soon as the votes are counted, we are a forgotten people until the next election. Let's be very careful this time as to whom we elect. The little fellow is carrying a big stick right now. Let's use it at the polls in July!—A Darden-O-Gram.

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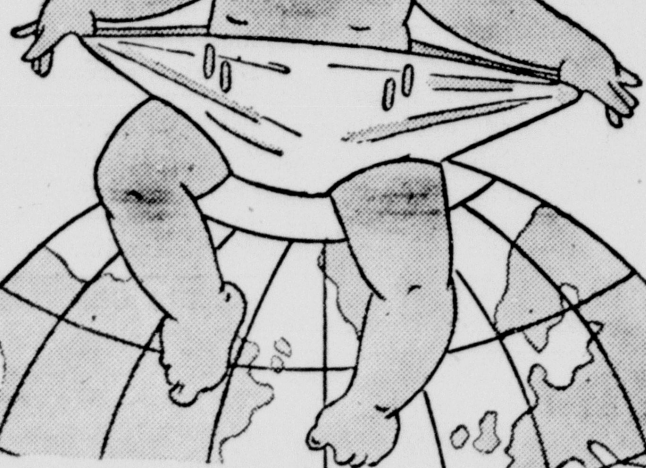
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